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PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 04329.1952-01

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Yoshitaka TSUNASHIMA et al.) Group Art Unit: 2814
Application No.: 09/688,989) Examiner: Shrinivas H. Rao
Filed: October 17, 2000) Confirmation No.: 2408
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND)
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING)
THE SAME)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In reply to the Office Action mailed July 14, 2006, the period for response to which extends through October 16, 2006 (October 14th being a Saturday, and October 15th being a Sunday), Applicants request the Examiner's reconsideration in view of the following remarks:

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.